PERSONALS

Mrs. Clara Mitchell spent Saturday night in Lynchburg.

Mrs. B. G. Trent has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Sam Trent, of near Gladys, Va.

Miss Kate Franklin, of Pamplin will be the guest of Mrs. J. A. Burke tonight.

Mrs. Calvin Robinson, Mrs. H. G. Johnson and Mrs. G. L. Doss motored to Phillis, Va. Sunday for a visit with Miss Courtney Farrar.

Mrs. Archer W. Carr has returned to her home, "Hillwood," in Halifax County after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Carr.

Mrs. H. D. Kauffman is on an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. George W. Vick, of Courtland, and relatives in Emporia.

Mrs. Joel Guill is a patient in the Virginia Baptist Hospital, where she will undergo surgery. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

The Rev. and Mrs. George D. Coffey, of Arlington, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith.

Friends here have been notified of the death of Grover E. Woolridge, which occurred April 16, in Tampa, Florida.

S. B. Marshall has been in New York City this week, making purchases of seasonal merchandise for Marshall's Department Store.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. James will return Sunday, after a month's stay at their country estate, "Loudon" in Epes, Alabama.

Chesley Christian returned to Fishersville today, after spending the week at the Christian home here.

The Tuesday Night Bridge Club met this week with Mrs. W. E. Hancock. Mrs. DeWitt Evans received the high score award and Mrs. C. R. Booth was given the consolation prize.

Friends are sorry to hear of the illness of J. C. Simpson, who is a patient in the Lynchburg General Hospital. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Irby Wheeler, a patient at Lynchburg General Hospital, recovering from injuries sustained last week when he was gored by a bull, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lloyd Hudson and daughter, Pat, motored to Clarksville Sunday, where they visited Mr. Hudson's sister, Mrs. Lucille Blanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie B. Goodrich and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith spent the week-end in Smithfield, where they visited Mr. Bonnie Smith, who is recovering from an illness.

Mrs. F. F. Carr was the guest speaker at the Lanneker Flower Garden Club, of Halifax, on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Carr was accompanied to Halifax by Mrs. T. Moses Jr. They were luncheon guests of Mrs. Frank Booker, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burke, Jr., and family, of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Williams, Jr., Miss Dabney Williams and Miss Polly McDowell, all of Brookneal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Handy and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gowin visited Mr. Handy's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sexton, of Roanoke Sunday. They also visited Mr. Handy's two brothers, Everett and Fred Handy, of Ennice, N. C., over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Irby will leave Tuesday for Richmond, where they will spend the night with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Norfleet, leaving Wednesday for Alexandria, where they will spend the rest of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons, of Petersburg, Mrs. David Harrison, Mr. Leroy Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harrison and daughter, Deborah, of Clairmont, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Rogers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Ferguson and Mr. David Ferguson attended church services at the First Baptist Church in Richmond Sunday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph King while in Richmond.

Members of the Clover Hill Home Demonstration Club attending a meeting of District 3 of the Virginia Federation of Home Demonstration Clubs held in Farmville yesterday included: Mrs. W. H. Conner, Mrs. A. F. Godsey, Mrs. Wilson Paulette and Mrs. Jacob Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Evans, of Lynchburg, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Evans.

Miss Anne Evans will return home today, after spending several days in Harrisonburg as the guest of Miss Mary Watt Stanley, a student at Madison College.

Mrs. Hannah L. Bailey and son, Billy, and Mrs. Emma L. Stokes, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Capt. and Mrs. Herbert S. Gibson and two sons, of Scottsville, Va., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Drinkard. Others in this home Sunday, when Mr. and Mrs. Drinkard celebrated their birthdays, were Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wayne and daughter, of Pamplin; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Durbin and son and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin and two sons, of Lynchburg; Berkley Drinkard, of V. P. I.; and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Drinkard and two sons. Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Garrett, and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Shafter Drinkard.

Birthday List

Dr. L. L. Gaple, April 18.
Mrs. W. W. Wooldridge, April 23.

TOMLIN - SPENCE

Miss Louise Spence, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. D. M. Spence, of Victoria, was married to Carl E. Tomlin, son of Mrs. Jesse Tomlin and the late Mr. Tomlin, of Hopewell, Va., Friday night, March 23. The ceremony was performed in the chapel of the Waynesboro Presbyterian Church by Dr. Gordon, pastor of the church. The couple will make their home in Waynesboro, where both hold positions in the drafting department of General Electric Company.

The Rev. Spence was formerly pastor of Appomattox Methodist Circuit.

TO SPEAK TO P.-T. A.

Farmville, Va.- Dr. Francis G. Lankford, Jr., president of Longwood College, will be the main speaker at the Farmville District Parent - Teacher Association meeting to be held at the college April 25. Dr. Lankford will talk on "Interdependence of Public Schools and Institutions of Higher Learning."

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INSURED PENSION FUNDS NOW OVER $11 BILLION

Funds set aside in insured pension plans in the United States increased by $1,275,000,000 during 1955 and stood at $11,075,000,000 at the start of this year.

Almost entirely the development of the war and post-war years, there are now 18,980 of these plans covering 4,150,000 individuals and establishing future retirement income of $1,815,000,000 annually.

This is shown in a survey just made by the Institute of Life Insurance, covering the employer-employee pension plans now in force with the life insurance companies of the country.

"The rapidity with which these plans have grown is demonstrated by the fact that the number of insured pension plans in force has nearly doubled and the total reserves set aside in these plans have more than doubled in the past five years. As recently as 1945, there were only 1,530 insured pension plans in force throughout the country and they then covered only 685,000 persons. This voluntary planning for retirement by employees has increased tenfold since 1940."

The employer - employee groups are now setting aside $1,415,000,000 annually in these plans, about 40 per cent being paid by employers and 20 per cent by employees.

Eventual income to be paid out by the insured pension plans is reported at $1,815,000,000 annually and even that income figure is underrated, the Institute says, as over half of the persons covered come under deferred group annuities which are normally based on annual increment purchases of paid up retirement income.

In such plans the actual planned retirement income is much larger than the paid-up amount used to measure the plans.

The group annuities in force at the start of this year covered 3,560,000 persons under 4,750 master contracts and they accounted for $9,000,000,000 of the pension reserves now set up with the life companies.

Although most of the pension plans are of recent origin, many of them are already beginning to pay out retirement income to annuitants.

The group annuities alone accounted for benefit payments of more than $160,000,000 last year.

FILING DEADLINE

April 30 is the deadline for filing your state income report.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Monday, April 23.- Tuna fish salad with crackers, creamed potatoes, succotash, cookies, 1-2 pint milk.

Tuesday April 24.- Corned beef hash on toasted bun, green peas, spaghetti, jello, 1-2 pint milk.

Wednesday, April 25.- Hot dog on roll with dressing turnip greens, baked beans, ice cream, 1-2 pint milk.

Thursday, April 26.- 1-2 peanut butter sandwich, 1-2 grilled cheese sandwich, potato salad, buttered corn, vanilla pudding, 1-2 pint milk.

Friday April 27.- Hamburger on bun, with dressing; slice cheese, string beans, apricot puffs, carrot strips, 1-2 pint milk.

School Principals To Meet

Farmville, Va.- The principals of high schools in Southside Virginia will hold a meeting at Longwood House, Longwood College, April 19.

TRANSCO NEWS

William Mitchell, of Appomattox, and Frank Hanesley, of Lynchburg, Thursday fishing on the James River. They caught some catfish.

We are happy to welcome Mr. Gilliam back at work after a long period of medical treatment at Baltimore.

Mr. J. E. Beamer is spending his vacation at his home in Eagle Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wright returned home after a visit in Georgia, Louisiana, and Texas where they visited relatives, and enjoyed good fishing.

Mr. Fleniker, Assistant Operator W.VYTD, spent some joyable hours visiting with amateurs in all of the states he toured. Joining the fun were his wife from Georgia, for their home in the South, were their daughter-in-law and granddaughter.

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Readers!
night, April 20, at 8:00 is the date for the Senior play, three one-act plays. They to be an evening of fun for the public's enjoyment. Mrs. H. Ward is director. The price is students and 35¢ for Come out and bring several Mark April 20 on your cal-

es of the Senior Plays were sembly last Wednesday, Apresented by instructors from Virginia College's Agricultural Department, spoke to the student on agricultural opportunities and what college life has for any student. Rev. R. Q. introduced Dr. William Hershelturist, and Mr. J. Animal Husbandry In- at 4-H Clubs were shown of the branches of agriculture special emphasis on Bacteri-

ology, and of work being done in divisions of the Agriculture School, and the college in general. This program was of much value. A special meeting was held at the end for juniors and seniors with these instructors.

"On Friday, April 13, Golria Jenkins, senior, represented us at Virginia Union University, Richmond, in the Annual Negro Organization Society's Oratorical Contest. Her speech was very excellently presented, for which she received a medal. We felt very proud of Golria. Seniors throughout Virginia high schools were eligible to compete. Viola Johnson and Roberta Lewis attended the contest. Mrs. H. P. James accompanied the group. The students were impressed with the college. They met President S. D. Proctor, who invited them to a special lunch with him and who told them of opportunities open to them at Union.

Our first home baseball game will be this Thursday, April 19, at 1:00 P. M., on our campus, versus Moton, of Farmville. Coach Miller is practicing the team for this great win.

The Championship Game in the Girls' Intramural Volleyball Tournament was held Tuesday at Activity Period. The 12th Grade played versus the 11th Grade, with the 12th Grade winning by a score of 49-40. Congratulations, winners.

Until next week, our thought: "How much easier our work would be if we put forth as much effort trying to improve the quality of it as most of us do trying to find excuses for not properly attending to it."

GLENDALE HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Glendale Home Demonstration Club met April 11, in the home of Mrs. F. J. Nash, Sr., at 11 A. M. After a delicious luncheon, Mrs. Roy Booth presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Hunter Nash led the devotional, assisted by the hostess, Mrs. Frank Nash Sr. Mrs. Herman Nash was elected secretary. Mrs. Ella S. Anderson gave out booklets on traffic safety. Mrs. Edward Cheatham and Mrs. Sam Megginson gave a very interesting demonstration on, "Short Cuts in House Cleaning." Others attending were Mrs. Binford Nash, Miss Debbie Nash, Mrs. Wesley Overton, Mrs. DeWitt Marshall, Mrs. Binford Nash and Dennis, Mrs. E. W. Marshall Jr., Mrs. Elliott Marshall Sr., Mrs. Norman Cheatham, Mrs. Howard Nash, Mrs. Edward Franklin and Shelby.

LOCAL STUDENT OFFICER OF WESLEY FOUNDATION

Farmville, Va., April 19.- Miss Jeannette Morris, of Warwick, has been elected president of the Wesley Foundation at Longwood College for the year 1956-57.

Elected at the same time were: the Misses Margaret Beavers, of Tazewell, and Josephine Hillaman, of Farmville, vice - presidents; Miss Jackie Harnsberger, of Luray, secretary, and Miss Mary Alice Henry of Spout Spring, treasurer.

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INTERFERENCE MAY COME FROM ELECTRIC FENCE

Some owners of electric fences are in the broadcasting business.

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Here are some of the causes of radio and TV interference by electric fences:

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3. Poorly made conections anywhere.
4. Copper and aluminum wire used in the same fence. They are practically impossible to join by twisted joints without causing arcing when air and moisture can reach the point of union. Therefore, use fence wire of only one kind and either solder your splice or use a proper type splice connector.

Another important feature of electric fences is to have them properly grounded at the controller. The easiest way to do this is to drive an 8-foot pipe into moist earth and attach the ground connection of the fence controller to the pipe with No. 12 or larger ground wire.

If you have radio or TV interference, disconnect your fence and ask your neighbors who have one to do likewise. If the annoying static disappears, the trouble is in one of the fences. Then test them individually until the faulty fence is located. If you are unable to track down the trouble in a faulty fence, call your power supplier or an electrical contractor.

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A. H. S. TO COMPETE IN STATE CONTEST

Four Appomattox High School students won the right to compete in the state forensic contest to be held in Charolttesville April 27, each winning first place in a contest held at Brookville April 14.

Peyton Abbitt, a freshman, won the public speaking contest for her speech, "What Teen-agers Want and Need."

Shawn Mabley, a senior, was quite successful in the poetry contest, using as her selection Byron's "Prisoner of Chillon."

Frank Hanenkrat, winner of the boy's prose reading contest, is a junior. His selection was appropriate to his ambition to be a doctor of philosophy. His reading was Plato's "Discussion on Poetry."

Excerpts from "Sixteen" were read by Carol Myers, winner of the girl's prose reading contest. Carol is a senior.

FLOAT TOO HOT

Washington.- The float entered by West Virginia in the annual Cherry Blossom Festival was the hottest one in the parade. It burst into flames as the parade ended and was destroyed.

The United States expedition to the Antarctic has invited the Soviet expedition to visit its winter outposts.

JAYCEES TO ATTEND PRESBYTERIAN SERVICE SUNDAY AT 11 A. M.

The Appomattox County Junior Chamber of Commerce, in a body, will attend the 11:00 A. M. Worship Service this Sunday, at the Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church. This is one of a series of group attendance visits by the Jaycees. Last Sunday they attended services at St. John's Episcopal Church, and on the fifth Sunday in this month they will attend services at Liberty Baptist Church.

Attention is called to a change in the order, the visit to the Presbyterian Church having originally been scheduled for the fifth Sunday.

Giveaway

If you can remember the time when a man's importance was judged by the size of his key ring you're older than you'll want to admit.
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